



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4407**  
Kanji YAHIRO : Docket No. 2001\_1892A  
Serial No. 10/042,312 : Group Art Unit 1631  
Filed January 11, 2002 : Examiner Carolyn L. Smith

EVALUATION APPARATUS FOR BIOLOGICAL  
SAMPLES, EVALUATION METHOD FOR THE  
SAME, AND STORAGE MEDIUM STORING  
COMPUTER PROGRAMS FOR EXECUTING  
THE SAME EVALUATION METHOD : **Mail Stop: RCE**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a one month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
June 25, 2004.

The fee of \$110.00 is

- ☒ (X) submitted herewith.  
☐ ( ) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.  
☐ ( ) Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
☐ ( ) is enclosed.  
☐ ( ) has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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